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Date: December 14, 2005

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Re: Patent Application for:
"Method, Apparatus And System For Routing Messages Within A Packet Operating System"
Serial No. 10/045,205
Attorney Docket No. P14606/64645-1053

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing please find the following items relating to the above-identified application:

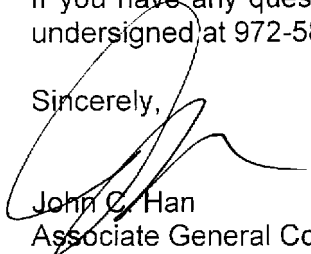
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